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# THE BELT SEED COMPANY

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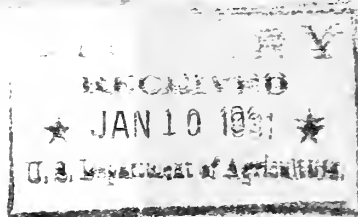
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U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE,

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BUREAU OF PLANT INDUSTRY  
Horticultural Crops and Diseases

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## FIGURES THAT SPEAK FOR THEMSELVES

United States Department of  
Agriculture.

Timothy—

1929 crop—1,448,400 bu.

1930 crop—1,479,100 bu.

Av. 1924-1930—2,150,000 bu.

Clover and Alsike—

1929 crop—2,523,000 bu.

1930 crop—1,459,600 bu.

Av. 1927-1928—1,344,000 bu.

It is significant that the domestic crops of 1927 and 1928 sold at over thirty cents, while the price now is only 27 cents, yet the duty is double what it was in 1927 and 1928.

## To Our Customers and Competitors:

We hope 1931 will bring a just profit on every transaction. The president of one of our great railroads was once asked if his company ever got the worst of it in any of their trades. He replied, "I don't think so, but you know we don't try to be too smart in our trading. We believe it is poor policy to drive a bargain so hard that it hurts the other man. If the bargain is a fair one, it is mutually advantageous." There is a lot of good hard sense in that. Pay a fair price for what you buy and sell at a fair profit.

The government seed loan of \$45,000,000 means an abundance of good new CASH seed business this spring for every live seed retailer in this territory.

Alfalfa—Medium crop.

White Clover—Crop very short.

Sweet Clover—Average crop but no imports.

Japan Clover—Short.

Kentucky Blue— $\frac{1}{2}$  crop. Most seed is blend of 1927 and 1930 crops.

Redtop—Short crop, but some carry over.

Orchard Grass—Short in United States, but good in Europe.

Seed Oats—Plant early Swedish Select or Victory and get the heavy yields.

We quote today's values, wholesale quantities, f. o. b. Baltimore, subject market changes and prior sale. Bags not returnable. Terms: NET CASH.

### RED CLOVER

#### ADAPTED\*

- ▽ Trinity 99.50..... .22
- Fancy (in orig. sax)..... .21
- Choice (in orig. sax)..... .20

#### DOMESTIC\*

- Square 99.00..... .26
- ▽ Trinity 99.60..... .27

#### SAPLING or MAMMOTH\*

- Square (Verified Maryland) .27
- ▽ Trinity 99.60 (Verified)... .28

#### ALSYKE\*

- Square 97%..... .22
- ▽ Trinity 99%..... .23 $\frac{1}{2}$

### NEW TIMOTHY\*

- Circle 98.00.....\$4.55
- Square 99.00.....4.65
- ▽ Trinity 99.60%.....4.75

### U. S. VERIFIED ALFALFA\*

#### DODDERFREE

- ▽ Kansas 99.60..... .22
- ▽ Northwestern 99.5 (Montana) .25
- ▽ Grimm state sealed and certified .29

- ▽ WHITE CLOVER..... .35

- ▽ SWEET CLOVER 99 $\frac{1}{2}$ \*... .09
- SWEET CLOVER 99..... .08

- ▽ JAPAN CLOVER\*\*..... .15

### KENTUCKY BLUEGRASS\*\*

- 19 lb. 75/70.....\$3.34
- 21 lb. 80/70..... .35
- Square 1930 Crop 75/85... .38
- ▽ Trinity 1930 Crop 80/93... .39
- ▽ Canada 80/80..... .30

### REDTOP-HERDS GRASS\*

- ▽ Trinity 93%..... .25
- ▽ Unhulled 50%..... .16
- Unhulled 30%..... .12

### FARM and TURF GRASSES\*\*

- Pasture Mixture..... .12
- ▽ Pasture Mixture..... .20

### DOMESTIC RYEGRASS... .06 $\frac{1}{2}$

- Poa Trivialis..... .39
- Chewings Fescue..... .35
- Sheep Fescue.....
- Red Fescue..... .35
- ▽ German Bentgrass..... .80
- ▽ Colonial Bentgrass 98/95... .75
- ▽ R. I. Bentgrass 96/90..... .75
- Meadow Fescue..... .13

### ORCHARD GRASS\*\*

- Square domestic..... .17
- ▽ Danish onion free..... .18

### DWARF ESSEX RAPE\*\*

- ▽ Trinity..... .04 $\frac{1}{2}$

### LAWNSPUR

Trinity Brand Quality Lawn Fertilizer

- 100 lb. bag Paperlined...\$3.25
- 25 lb. bag Paperlined.... 1.00
- 5 lb. carton (20 in Case).. .30

### LAWN GRASSES\*\*

- Trinity 100# bags.....\$3.38
- Trinity 100# in 5# bags.... .40
- Evergreen 100# bags..... .24
- Evergreen 100# in 3# bags.. .26
- Velvet Lawngrass 100# bags .17
- Shady Lawngrass 100# bags .38

- ▽ WHITE CLOVER 165# bags .35
- SHEEP MANURE 100#bags2.00
- BONEMEAL 100# bags....2.25
- Fine Peat Moss per bale...2.00

- ▽ NEW CRIMSON.....
- ▽ HAIRY VETCH Domestic
- ▽ AUSTRIAN PEAS.....

### SEED GRAIN\*\*\*

- Spring Barley.....\$1.50
- Spring Rye..... 1.50
- Fulghum Oats......90
- Spring Wheat..... 1.50
- Swedish Select 40 lb. test weight.. .75
- Victory 40 lb. test weight ..... .95

### PACKING

- \* Cotton Bags—30c—net weight
- \*\* Burlap Sax—free—gross weight
- \*\*\* Burlap Sax—10c—net weight

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Selected-Recleaned-Tested Seeds

CHEAPSIDE, CALVERT and PRATT STREETS



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PLAZA 5688  
PLAZA 5689



